

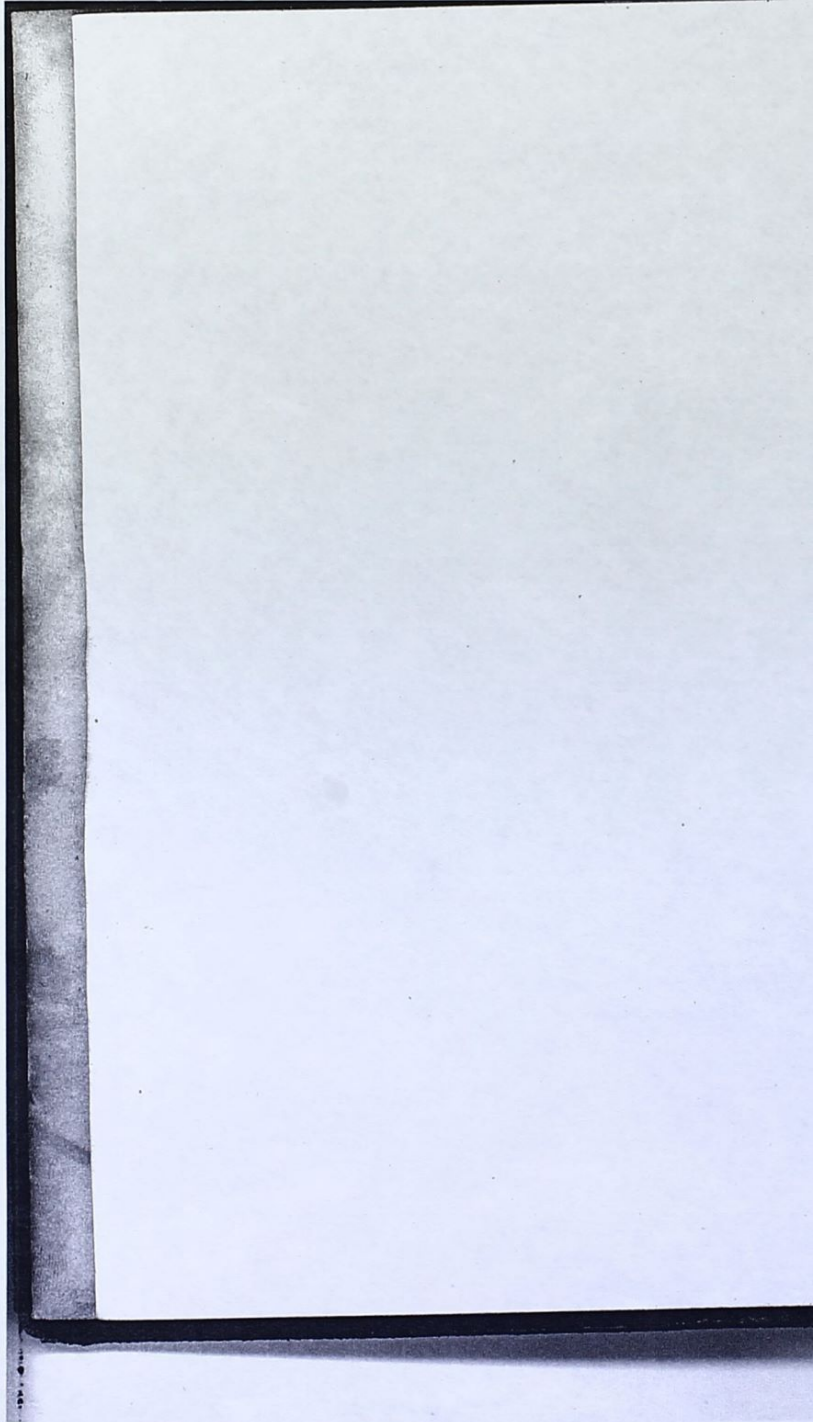
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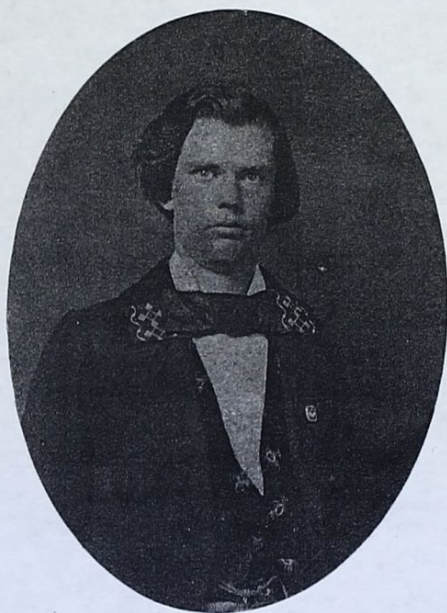




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W. H. Tubb





Your true friend & brother (ΑΔΦ)

E. S. McClary  
Bristolville  
Kd

Law Dept

O University Lebanon June 4 1860.

My grand mother, Keller was the daughter of one  
of La Fayette's aids & grand daughter of Alexander  
Spotswood, an early Colonial Governor of  
Va.



Your Friend and Class  
Roommate:

Jno. H. Brady.  
Born Jan 24. 1835. St. Clara,  
Lebanon. Cal.

June 23. 1859.





W. A. Haynes, A. D. Q.  
Stout's Grove  
Illinois.

May 29th 1859

Born Sept 17th, 1832.

Profession. C. P. Minister





William Logan McClure

May 9<sup>th</sup> 1859

Stout Grove

Illinois

Notus A.D. 1832 July 9<sup>th</sup>

C. P. Minister

W. A. D. G.





David A. Sours  
May 28/37 Lymince.  
July 22, 1838. Tenn.





"*Probat et olim haec meminisse probat*"

Your Friend & Bro.,

(AΔΦ) Alex. Wilson 1<sup>st</sup>

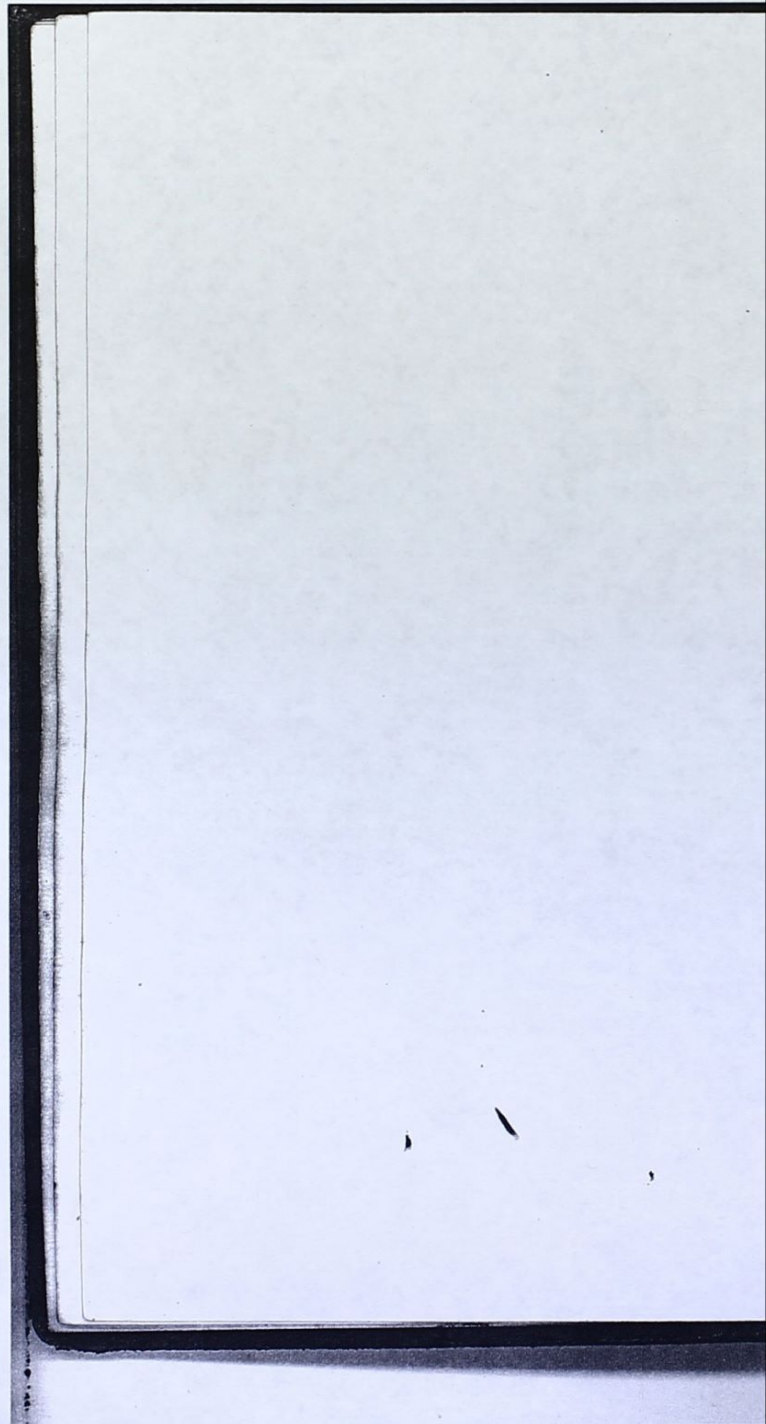
Lebanon

Tenn.

June 3. 1859

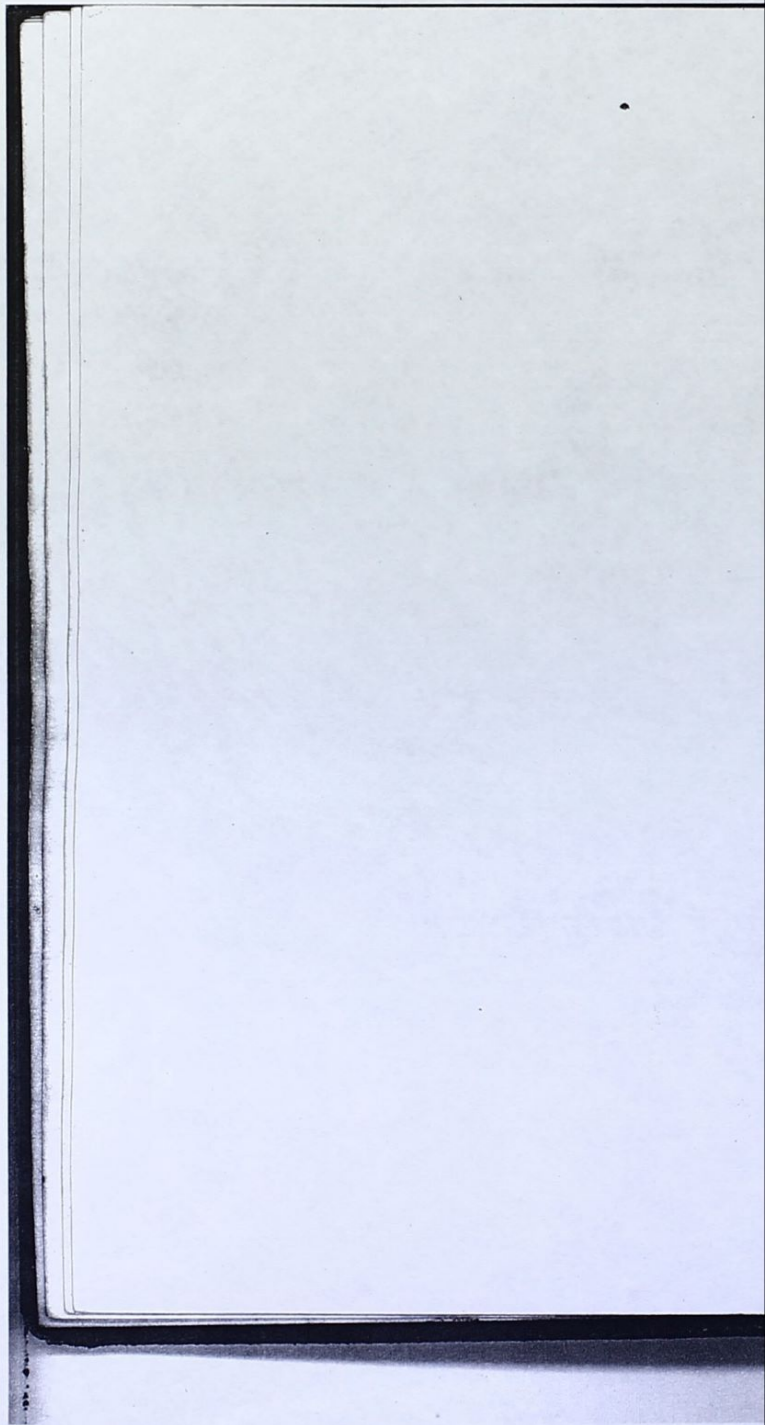
Born May 15. 1840.

Profession - Law





Your friend & brother A. A. P.  
June 23<sup>rd</sup> 1859 Cha & Martin  
Born Sept 11<sup>th</sup> 1839 Lebanon  
Penn  
Professor Law.





Your true friend and  
brother in A.D.F. bonds.

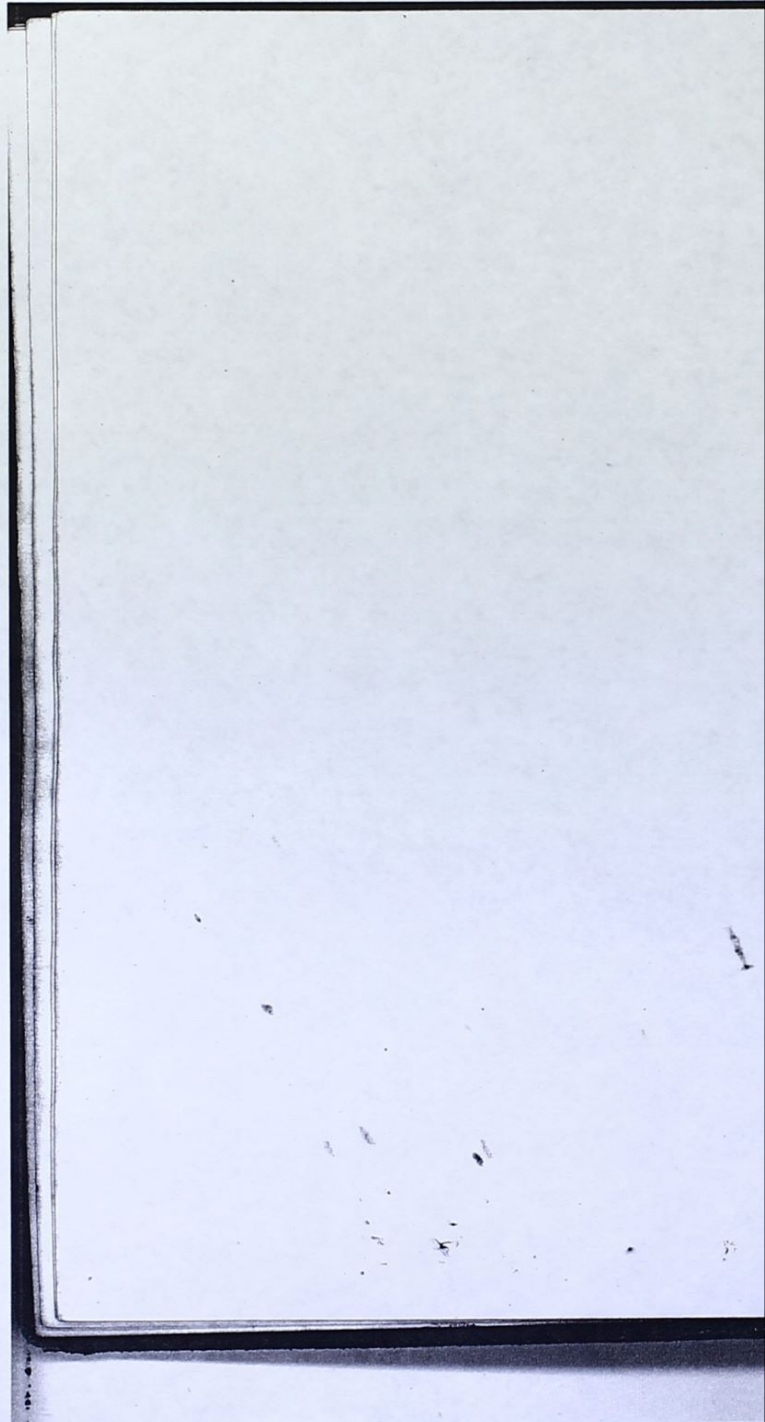
Calvin Van Gulp.  
June 16th 1889. Tusculum  
Born Sept 18th 1840. Alabama.  
Profession "Law."



Ever your Friend and Brother  
A 4 ~~I~~ W. Clay Martin

Born June 11<sup>th</sup> 1834

Cortsville  
Kentucky





"Ex vi terminis"

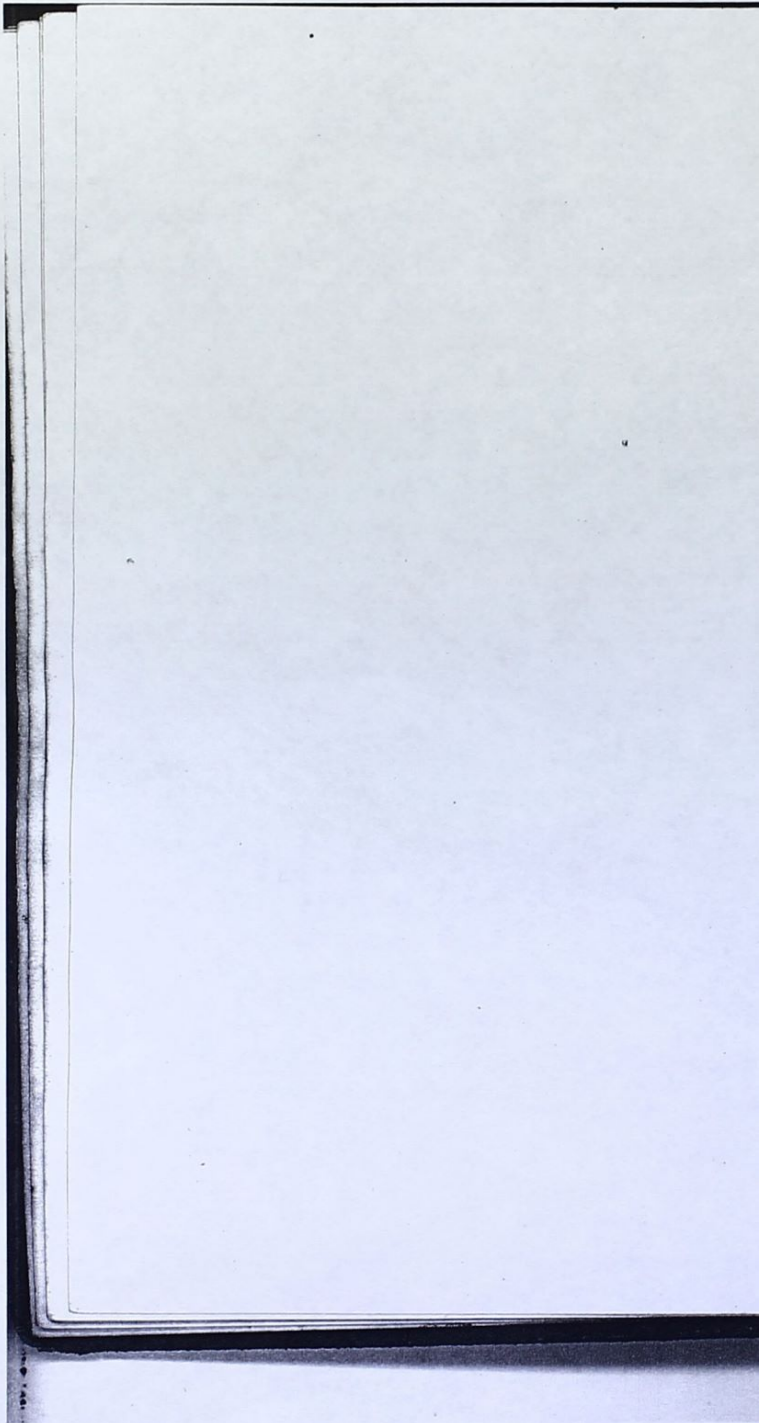
Your true friend,  
Richard Thomas Kerr.

Walterton Mo.

destined to be — surgeon. }

Born in the year of  
your vision 1838. }

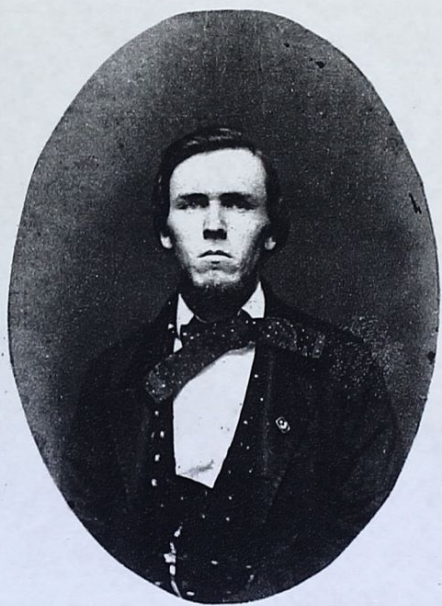
Lebanon, Jan. 20th 1860.





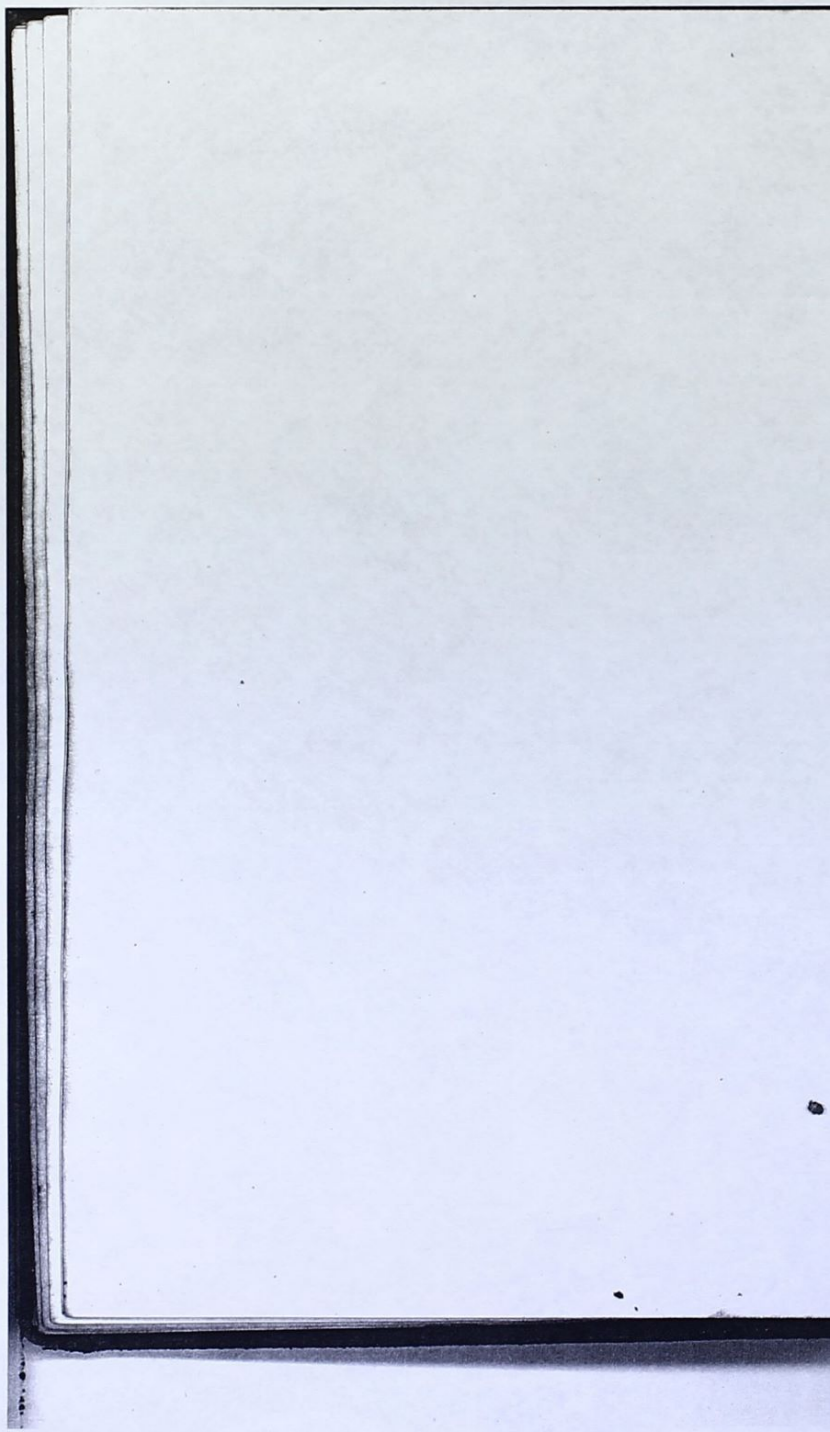
Your Sincere friend  
& brother in the bonds of  
A. D. Φ. Prohatan R Baptist.  
Born 4<sup>th</sup> of March 1831.  
Law Student Dayton.  
Mar 20<sup>th</sup> Muncie, Ind.  
1860. Ala.













Your friend & classmate,

Robert Cade,

May 27,  
1859.

Vermillionville,

La.

Born Nov. 15, 1838.

Profession, planter

# JUNIOR EXHIBITION.

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## CUMBERLAND UNIVERSITY

Morning Session, 2d Day, January 27th, 1859.

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### PRAYER.

#### MUSIC.

B. D. STEWART, ..... Tennessee,  
*We are Morally Degenerating.*

#### MUSIC.

S. M. TARPLEY, ..... Arkansas.  
*Nicaragua—Walker.*

#### MUSIC.

### DEBATE.

Was the Execution of Charles the First, justifiable?

*Aff.*

W. B. PORTER, Tenn.  
C. W. TYLER, "  
L. B. SETTLE, "

*Neg.*

W. B. DUNN, Miss.  
J. W. SHUTE, Te.  
J. A. HADLEY, "

#### MUSIC.

### DECISION.



your friend & classmate

J. W. Taylor.

Millonville

May 26th. 1857.

Born August 12, 1838.

La

# JUNIOR EXHIBITION.

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## CUMBERLAND UNIVERSITY.

Morning Session of 1st Day, January 26th, 1859.

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### PRAYER.

#### MUSIC.

W. H. TABB, ..... Mississippi.  
*Genius of Hannibal.*

#### MUSIC.

T. A. STREET, ..... Alabama,  
*Qualifications necessary to the Perfect Statesman.*

#### MUSIC.

### DEBATE.

Do the people of the United States owe more Praise to their Warriors than to their Statesmen?

*Aff.*

*Neg.*

J. J. TAYLOR, La.  
H. T. NORMAN, Tenn.  
P. N. SMITH, Tenn.

GEO. H. LOWE, Tenn.  
H. C. MERITT, Ky.  
J. J. FORD, Ala.

#### MUSIC.

### DECISION.

Your sincere friend & class-  
mate

Henry Christmas 24  
Born 1842 { Oliver  
Miss

Prof Law—  
"May success attend you"



I am very truly, Your Friend & Associate.

Andrew Allison,

Sebanon,

Tenn.

Born Feb. 6, 1842.  
July 1, 1860.

"Be just and fear not."

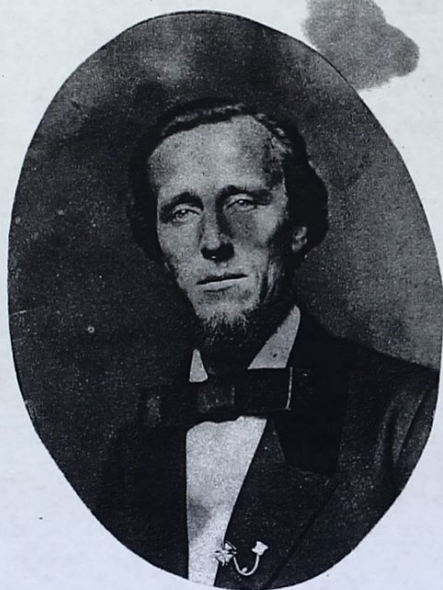


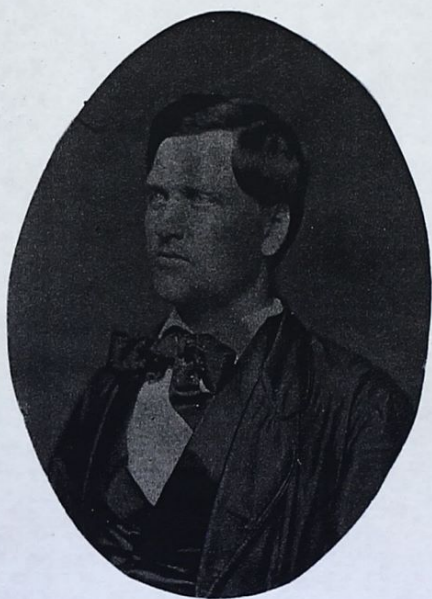






Mr Taylor - C P Minn's Car  
Sand Creek  
Ind











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### MUSIC.

E. B. CROW, ..... Louisiana.

*Imagination makes the Orator.*

### MUSIC.

J. H. EVERETT, ..... Tennessee.

*An Appeal for the Indian.*

### MUSIC.

### DEBATE.

Should Public Funds be applied to the Education of the Youth rather than to Internal Improvements?

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F. C. HADLEY, Tenn.

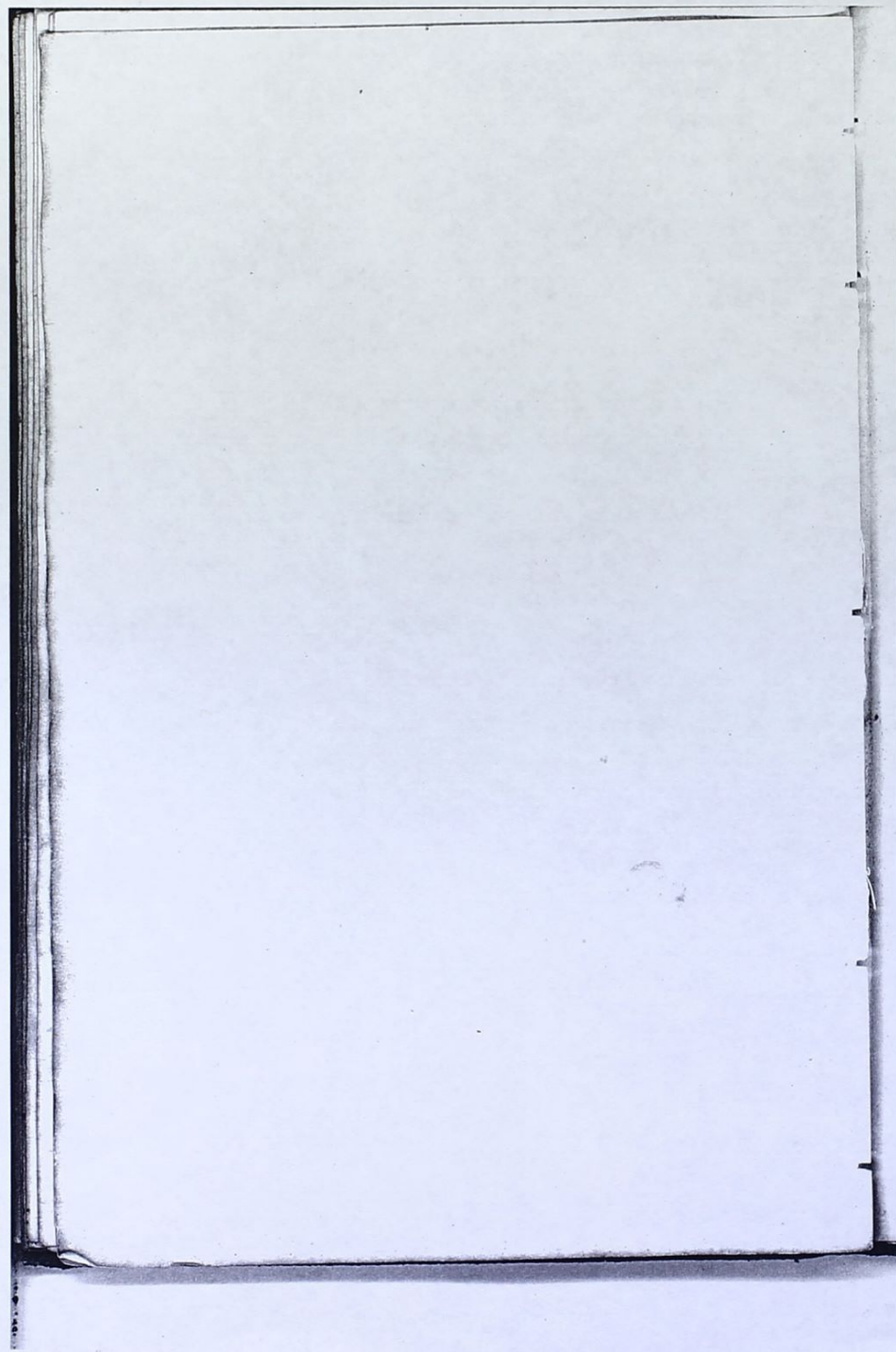
L. W. RALSTON, Te.

ROBERT CADE, La.

N. J. TAYLOR, Miss.

### MUSIC.

### DECISION.



Your true friend:

J. L. Goodloe,

Canton,

Miss.

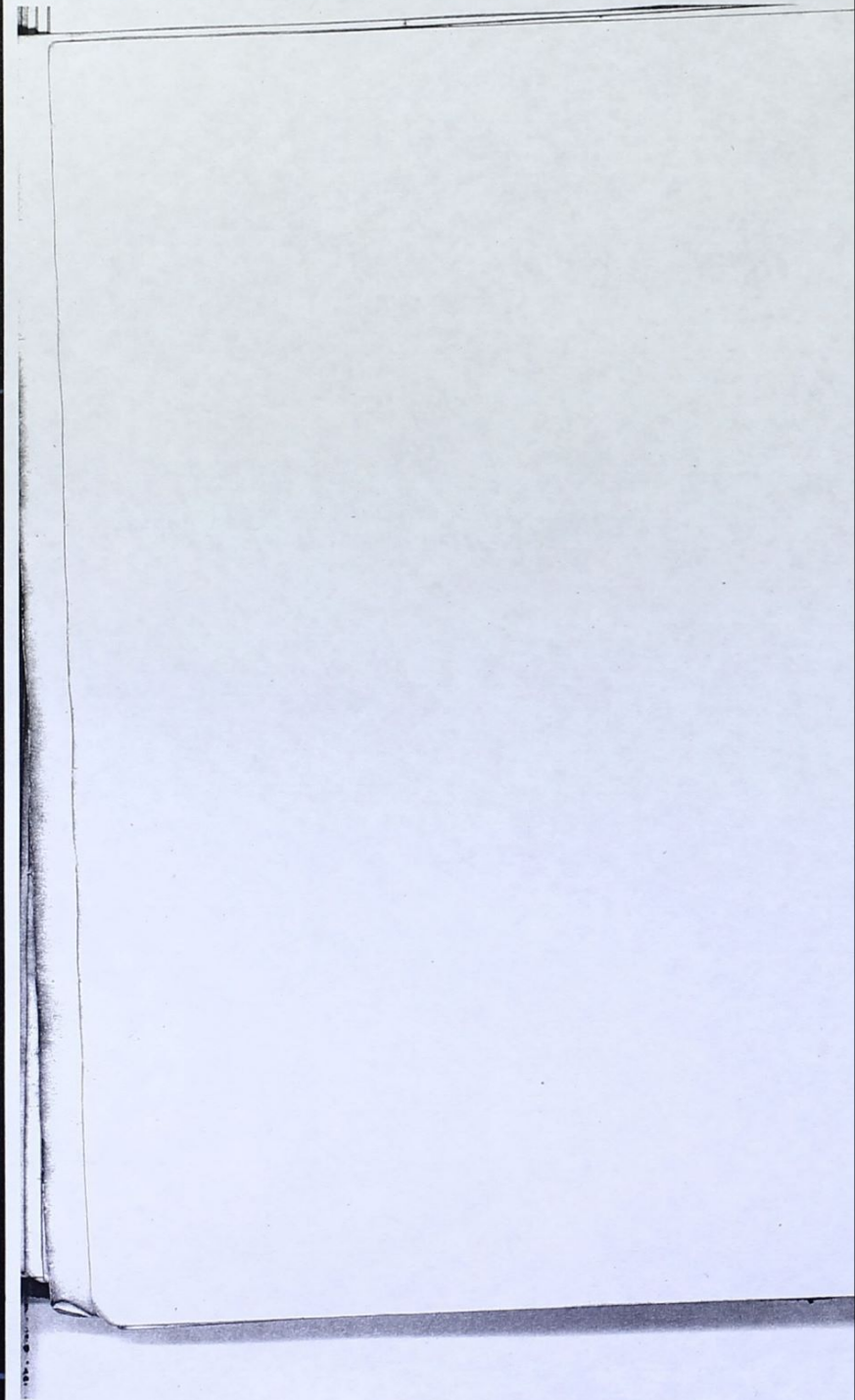
Professor. Farmer.

Born Sept<sup>r</sup> 3<sup>d</sup> 1840,





Your friend & respectfully  
 May, 27th. J. W. H. Abbeys  
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 Prof. Long ----- Commenced  
 Aug. 10th, 1859 Miss.





Most Truly Your Friend.

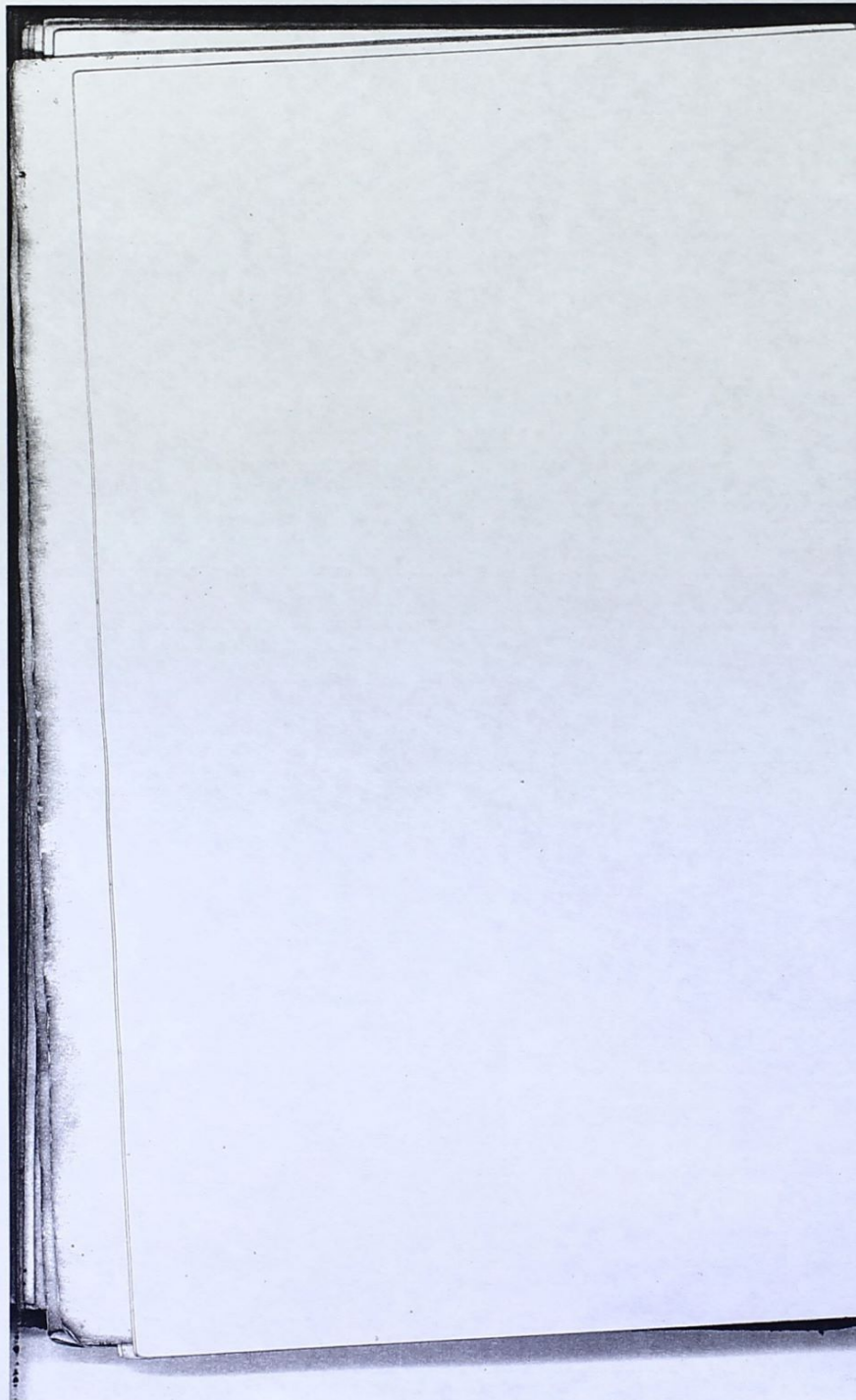
J. L. Gigg.

Born Aug 2<sup>nd</sup> 1841

Macon.

Emberland University - Miss.  
May 30<sup>th</sup> 1860

Be true to yourself and State.



Your friend,  
M. McClung Robinson,  
Huntsville,

June 1, 1860.

Alabama.

"It is better to dwell in the corner  
of the house top than in a wide  
house with a bawling woman"



Your friend

prof. J. M. E. A. K. E.

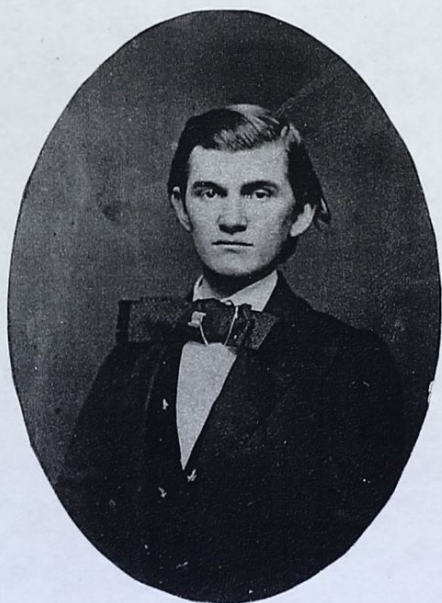
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Tipton

June 5<sup>th</sup> 1860.

Penn.





Sincerely Your friend

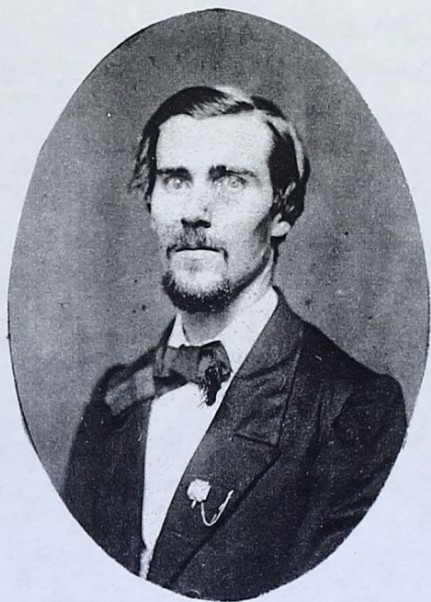
Wm A. Cooper

Atty at Law - Murfreesboro'

"Aut vincere aut mori"

Denny



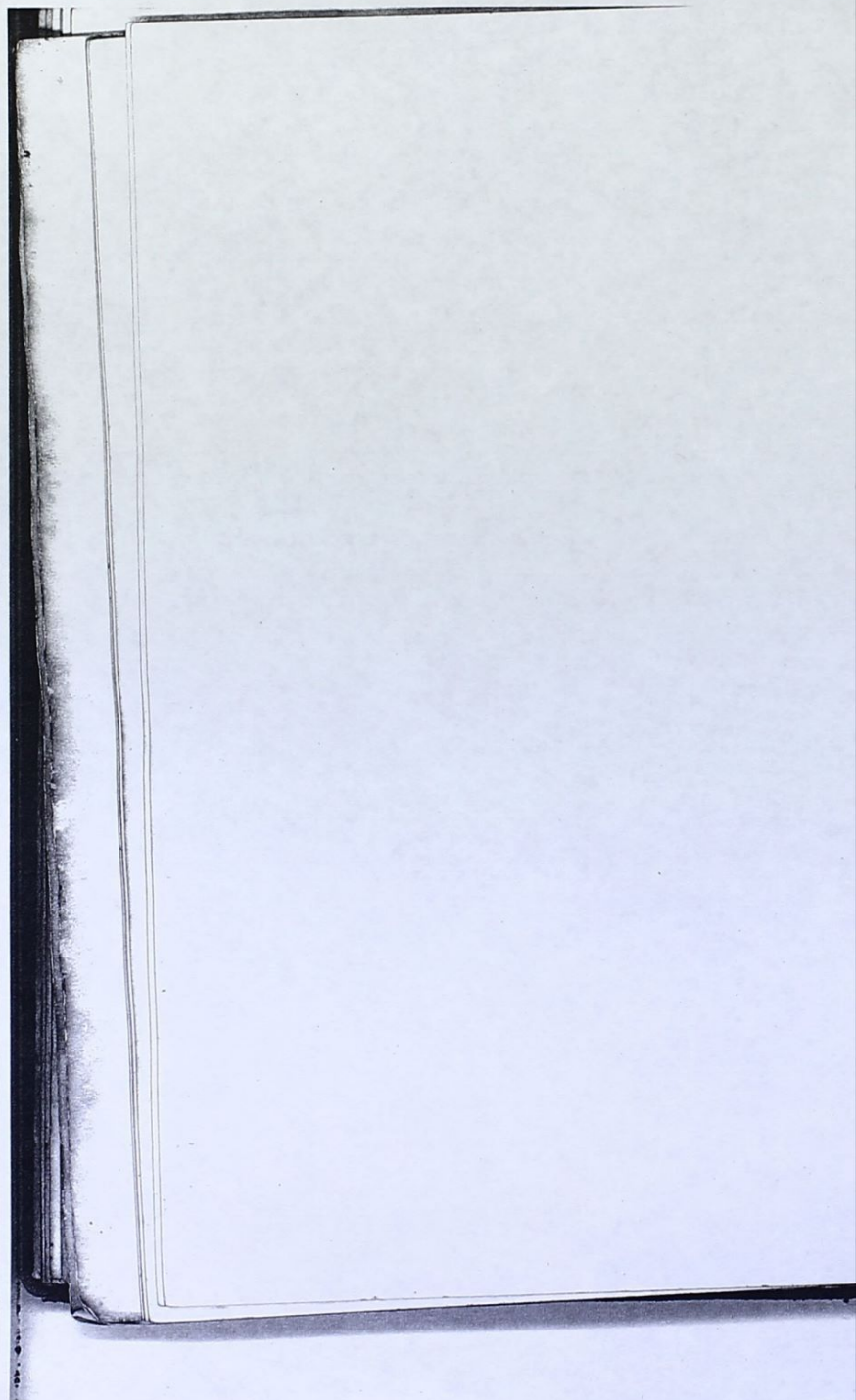


Your True Friend  
Rufus P. McClain.

✓ A. A. Lebanon.  
Yunn.

Natus. Feby 28<sup>th</sup> 1838.

This June 13<sup>th</sup> 1860.





Very Truly Your Friend  
Jos. S. Carels  
Sebanon Tenn

June 20<sup>th</sup> 1860  
Born Aug 30<sup>th</sup> 1825

Joy and happiness ever be with you.

# JUNIOR EXHIBITION.

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### MUSIC.

### DECISION.

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### PRAYER.

#### MUSIC.

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#### MUSIC.

### DECISION.



# COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES.

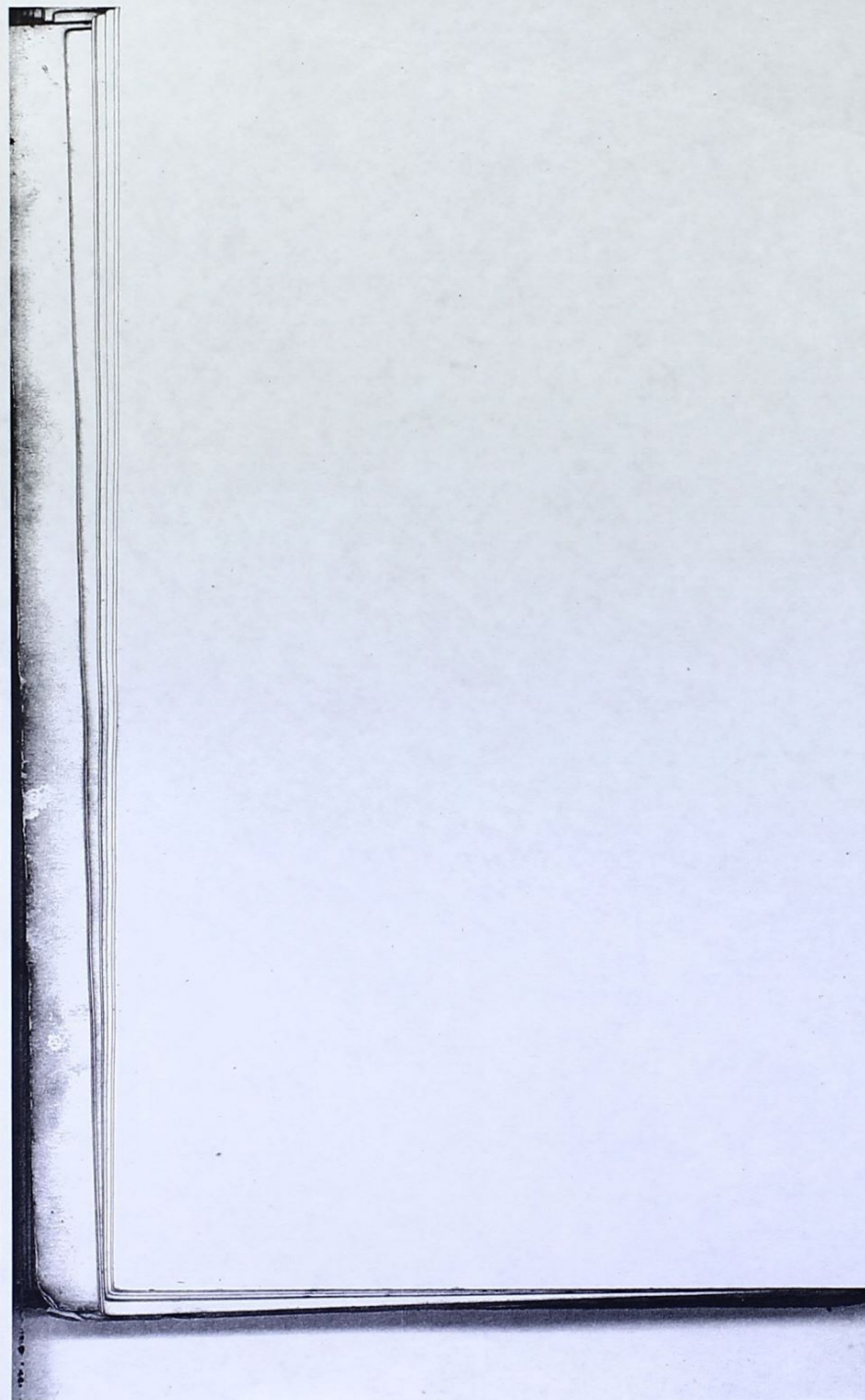
## Cumberland University.

SECOND DAY, THURSDAY, June 28th, 1860

### PRAYER.

#### Music.

R. H. CHRISTMAS, (excused)	.....	Miss.
	<i>Ambition.</i>	
	MUSIC.	
G. W. O. GRIFFIN, (excused)	.....	Ark.
	<i>George Gordon—Lord Byron.</i>	
	MUSIC.	
W. B. DUNN, (excused)	.....	Miss.
	<i>"The man of the age."</i>	
	MUSIC.	
CICERO SPURLOCK,	.....	Tenn.
	<i>Waterloo.</i>	
	MUSIC.	
J. A. DOBBINS,	.....	Tenn.
	<i>Garibaldi.</i>	
	MUSIC.	
E. B. CROW,	.....	La.
	<i>National and Individual Pride.</i>	
	MUSIC.	
C. V. GUY,	.....	Ala.
	<i>Napoleon the III.</i>	
	MUSIC.	
W. B. PORTER,	.....	Tenn.
	<i>The Victor and the Victim.</i>	
	MUSIC.	
T. A. STREET,	.....	Ala.
	<i>Valedictory.</i>	
	MUSIC.	
	Conferring Degrees.	
	MUSIC.	



Ever Remember your true friend

Lee. M. Ransom

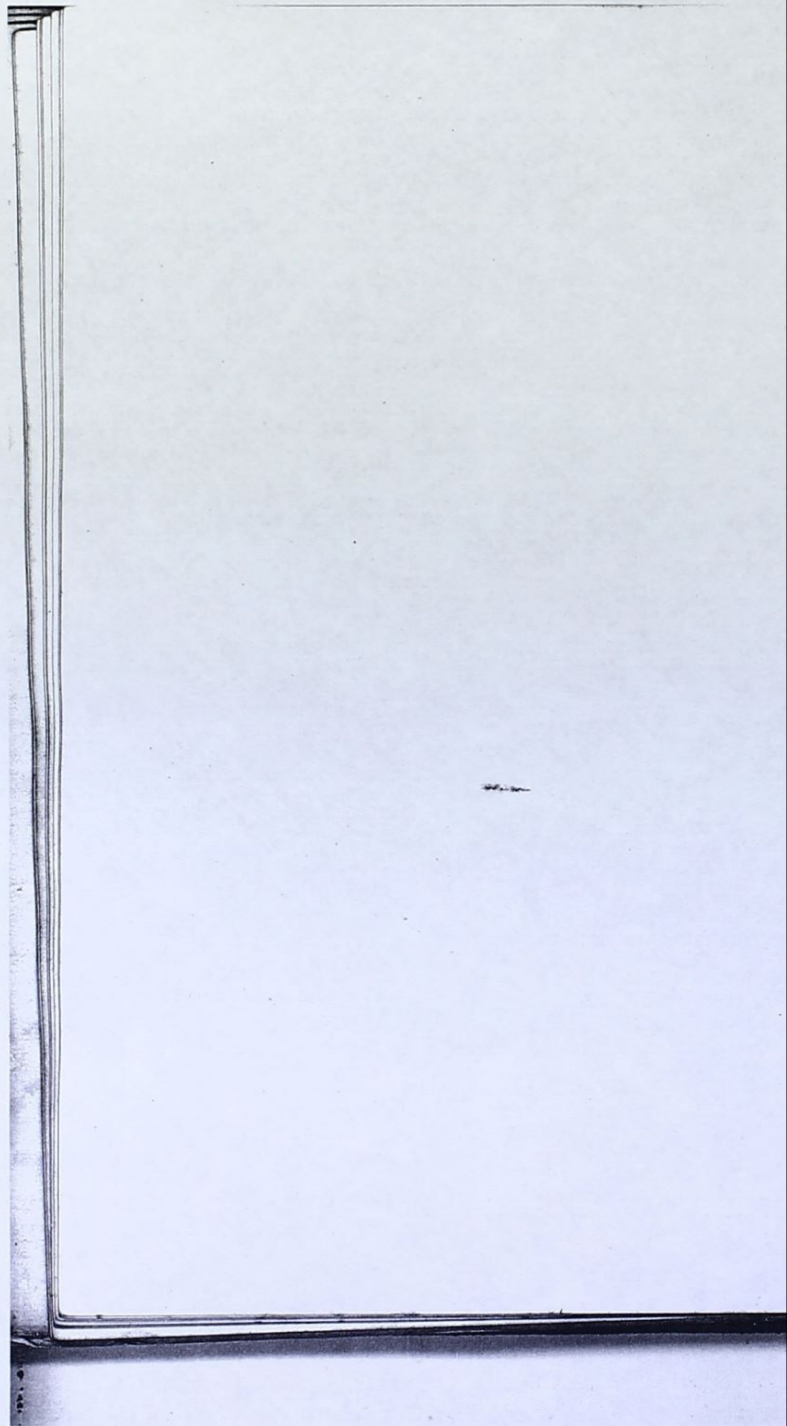
Early Grove

Miss.

Law class 1860

W. N. Llaner 25<sup>th</sup>

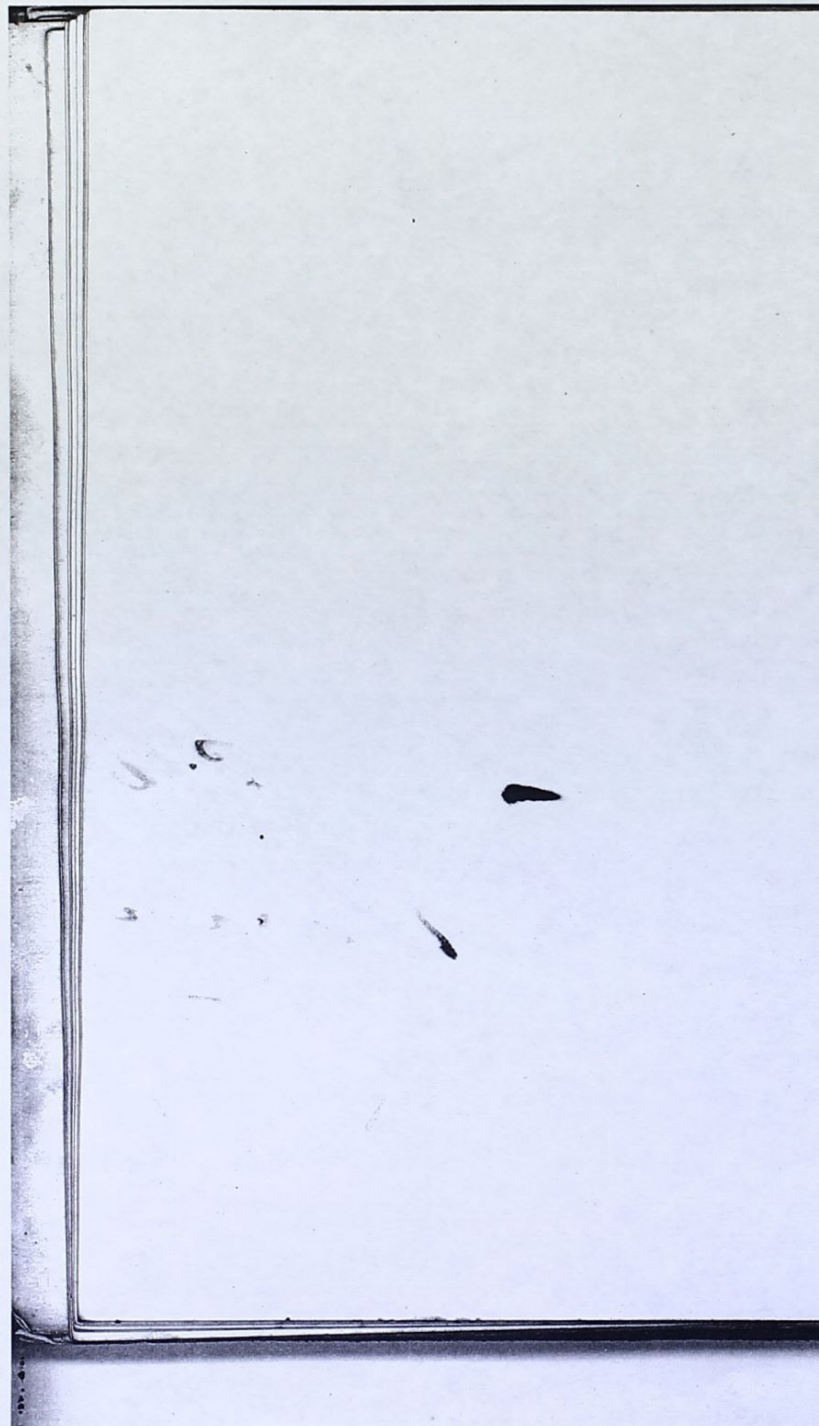
"Fertis cedere cedere non potest"



Very Truly Your Friend

William Low

Lebanon June 25<sup>th</sup> / 60 } Kintville  
Ala





Very truly Your friend,

James H. Holmes

June 25, 1865

Lebanon

And Yours Truly  
J. H. Holmes

monuments and shafts of stone, the rebellion will be pardoned. (From the Metropolitan Record.)

That no carven column  
Rears its marble shaft in air;  
That no upward, calm and solemn  
As the folded hands of prayer:  
They have monuments of glory,  
And none to mock the power of Time,  
And none to tell their hallowed story  
Of the strange and clime.  
There are mountains looking downward  
On the consecrated plain,  
There are rivers flowing onward  
To the blue throne of the main;  
There are flowers of beauty springing  
Where the golden sunlight shines  
On their graves, and sad winds singing  
Their low requiem amid the pines;  
There are eyes to read the lesson  
Of the mountain and the plain;  
Tender hands to nurse the flowers,  
Listening ears to catch the strain  
There are beating hearts to cherish  
Every echo of the name;

Brooding souls from which will perish  
Not a word of their fame;  
Then the shaft or pillar  
Lifts its slowly head above,  
Nor the oak in urn and willow  
Tell of sorrow or of love;  
But the decree they issue  
To the memory of the brave,  
It is woven in the tissue  
Of the land they died to save,  
And an epitaph of glory  
In the banner itself we see:  
All the cruel hatred showing,  
How a tyrant fears the free;  
Fears, that even in the legends  
May awaken former fires,  
And the children's hearts be kindled  
By the glory of their sires!

M. W. M.

## Lines of Glory.

BY A. J. REQUIRER.

The following poem, the latest production of the Hon. A. J. Requirer, will be read everywhere in the South with a thrill of pleasure. He has erected the Conquered Banner from the dust in the realm of poesy and shrined it in the golden haze of his exalted genius. This admirable poem in its progress through the various papers throughout the country was sadly mutilated. But we are now the pleasure of presenting it as it came originally from the pen of the talented and respected author:

Fold up the gorgeous siken sun,  
By bending martyrs blest,  
And heap the laurels it has won  
Above its place of rest.

No trumpet's note need harshly blare—  
No drum funeral roll—  
Nor trailing sables drape the bier  
That frees a dauntless soul?

It lived with Lee, and decked his brow  
From Fate's empyreal Palm:  
It sleeps the sleep of Jackson now—  
As spotless and as calm.

It was outnumbered—not outdone;  
And they shall shuddering tell,  
Who struck the blow, its latest gun,  
Flash'd ruin as it fell.

Slowly attended Ensign! not the breeze  
That emote the victor tar  
Went death across the heaving seas  
To carry thee afar;

Not the knights, amid the gloom  
Of the bloody deeds have starred;  
Not the Henry's matchless plume,  
Nor the banner born Baid!

Not all the antique tables feign,  
And the Cross of the Cross of Spain,  
Nor the Cross of the Cross of Spain,  
And even the George,

Not the pale Proud emblem, still  
The crimson glory shines  
Beyond the lengthened shades that fill  
Their proud and kingly lines.

Slaves in their town historic night—  
And the flag blazoned scroll:  
A warrior banner takes its flight  
To greet the warrior's soul!



Your truly

James S. Cabal  
Nashville

Born Sept 27 1838 Tenn

Professor

June 2/59



Dear Friend  
W. W. Humphries

Columbus  
Missi-

St. Louis.

Born June 20<sup>th</sup> 1839.

Libanon Jan 15<sup>th</sup> 1860



Your Friend

Minor B. Harris

Jackson  
Miss

Born 1838

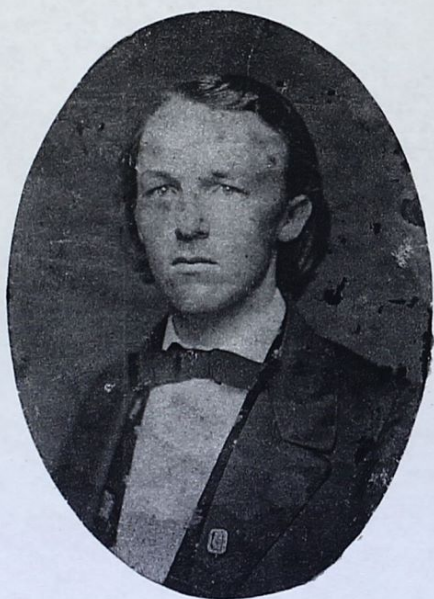
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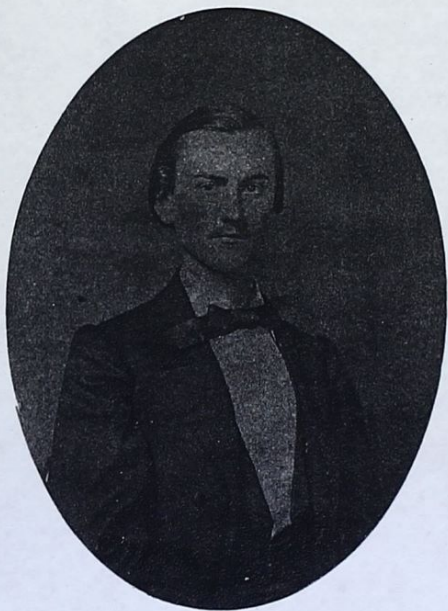
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Your Friend Sincerely  
Thos C. Moorman

Aberdeen  
Atty at Law } Wids  
Lebanon }  
Born Jan 1837  
Jan 24/1860





Very truly Your friend

Thomas J. Williams

Florence

Law dept. Conn. U.

Sebanow June 2<sup>d</sup> 1860

Ma.

"Aut vincere aut mori."

Per Angusta ad Voluptatem.



# Commencement Party,

COMPLIMENTARY  
TO THE

Graduating Class of the Collegiate Department  
OF  
CUMBERLAND UNIVERSITY.

The Honor of your company is requested at  
the University Buildings on the Evening of  
June 28th, at 8 o'clock.

## Committee of Invitation:

A. W. CALDWELL  
A. W. GOULD.

S. B. LEE, JR.,  
S. T. OLDHAM.

T. M. OSMENT,  
WINTER WALKER.

## MANAGERS.

J. L. GRIGGS,  
HARRY VASSER,  
A. J. BOYNTON,  
J. M. LANDSEN,  
JOHN RAYBURN,  
M. P. RIGUES.

W. H. OGILVIE, JR.,  
J. G. BOYDSTUN,  
WM. WARNER,  
THOS. ALEXANDER,  
CONQUEST HARRIS,  
J. P. WALKER.

F. H. OWEN,  
E. L. F. M'KENZIE,  
W. S. JENNINGS,  
ALVARADO MAYES,  
ROBT. DONNEL,  
JAS. STOKES.

## HONORARY MANAGERS:

MRS. A. P. STEWART,  
" J. M. SAFFORD,  
" W. G. GRANNIS,  
" N. GREEN, SR.,  
" N. GREEN, JR.

MRS. R. L. CARUTHERS,  
" JORDAN STOKES,  
" ROBT. HATTON,  
" ED. GOLLIDAY,  
" A. R. DAVIS.

MRS. J. B. ANDERSON,  
" M. A. PRICE,  
" J. K. HOWARD,  
" H. FRAZIER,  
" E. J. PEYTON.

Lebanon, Tennessee, June, 1860.

I am in bonds of friendship  
your most sincere friend,

"Law. Hght" J. M. Robinson  
Δ. K. E. <sup>Huntsville</sup> Ala

Lebanon  
Tennessee

"His Reverendness" June 5<sup>th</sup> / 860





Your friend

A. W. Gould

Cumberland

Nashville

University

Tenn

Class 1868

Lebanon June 20<sup>th</sup> 1868

## Tribute of Love.

It is with a sad heart I chronicle the fact that death has entwined in his sable coronet the sweet face and familiar name of Mrs. M. J. Tutt. Her spirit passed to that land of rest, from a bed of sickness of several months' duration, on the 20th of Jan., 1884.

One by one they go, one by one, and so  
We count the links that leave our earthly  
chain."

Scarce twelve years have elapsed since our much loved friend mourned the loss of a most ~~eloquent~~ affectionate husband. And she ~~was~~ at good husband, as does the ~~world~~ around the grand and majestic ark. Two more years being added to the cycle of time, and gentle Miss Mary succumbed to the fell destroyer.

Time rolled its ceaseless course, and that mother's heart, full to overflowing, when the pure spirit of my cherished friend, Alice Carey, winged its flight to paradise. The tide of life swept on, when lo! that heart yet sore, was abrim with giving back to her Heavenly Father that sainted, noblest child of earth, which he had lent her a few short years, as it were, and Miss Josie went home to abide with her Savior and rest from her labors.

That lonely mother bowed down in sorrow for her lovely daughters, who passed away in such rapid succession, well might exclaim:

"Jesus, my sorrow lies too deep for human  
ministry;

It knows not how to tell itself to any but to  
Thee."

Five long, weary years of loneliness she survived her lost ones. Our dear friend was all that a model wife, a fond mother and a true friend could be. She made her home, as far as possible, a paradise for her husband and family.

Her spirit has at last answered to the "waiting and watching" of her angels. She has gone to form that quartet in Heaven, as they were on earth, of purity and love.

May there be no missing link in the final lay, of that family, an unbroken circle in the "sweet by and by."

One who loved her,

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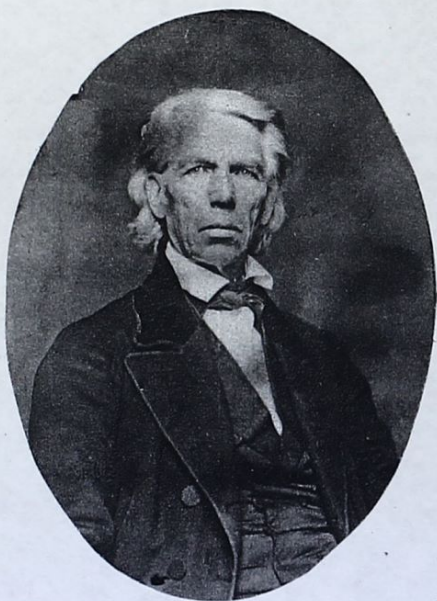


Your Friend and  
Brother A D D

Geo. R. Hill,

June 22d, 1867,

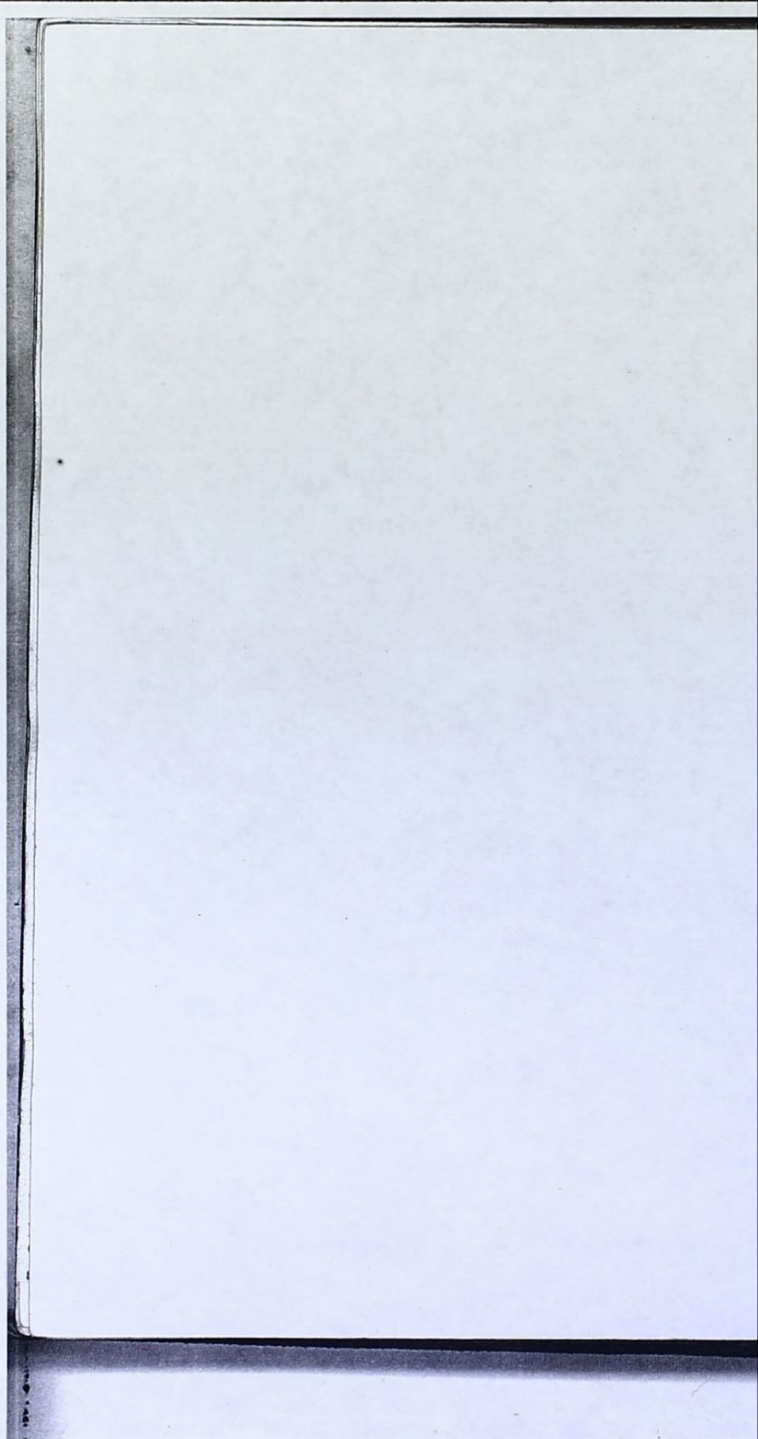
Franklin  
Tenn.



Judge Henry  
Johnson born 1790  
Pittsboro N.C.

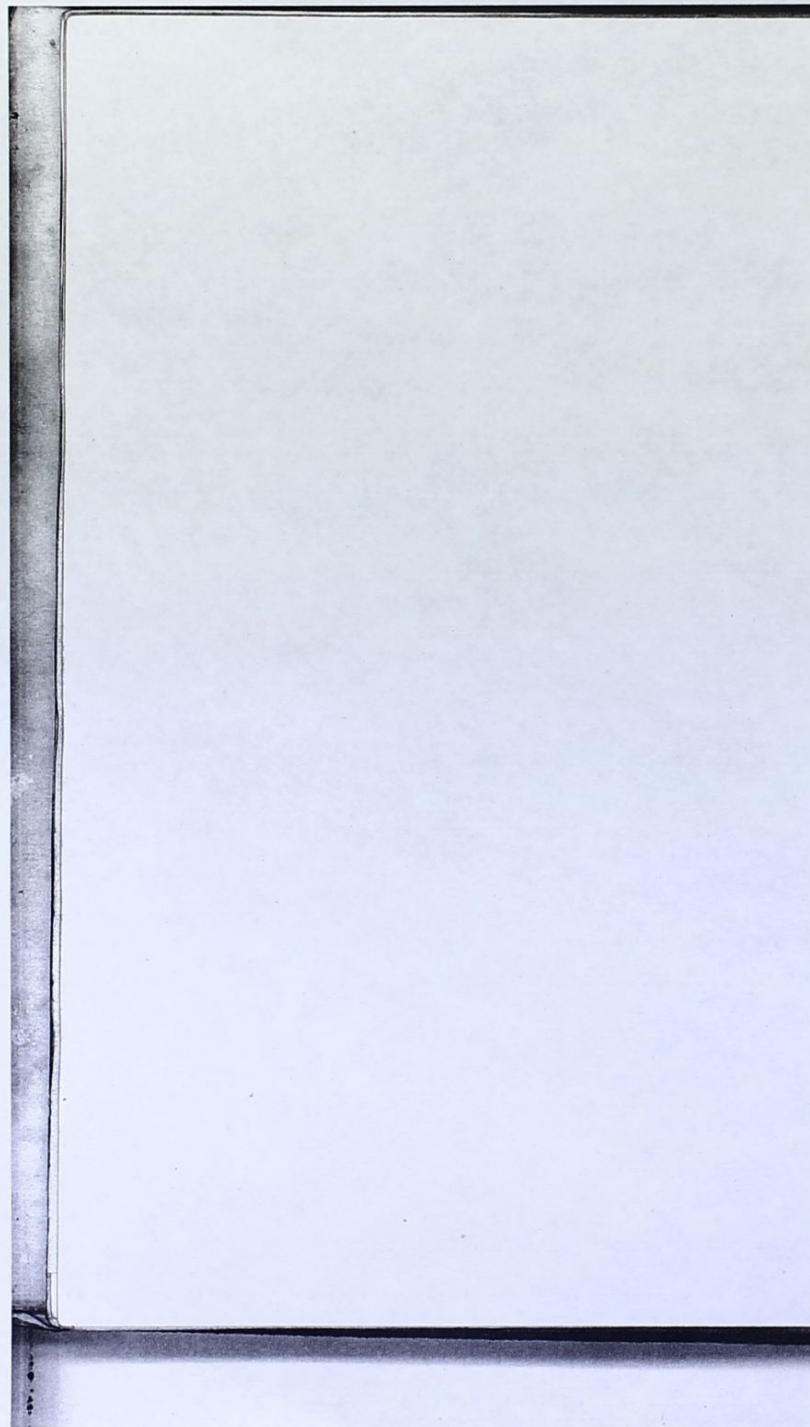


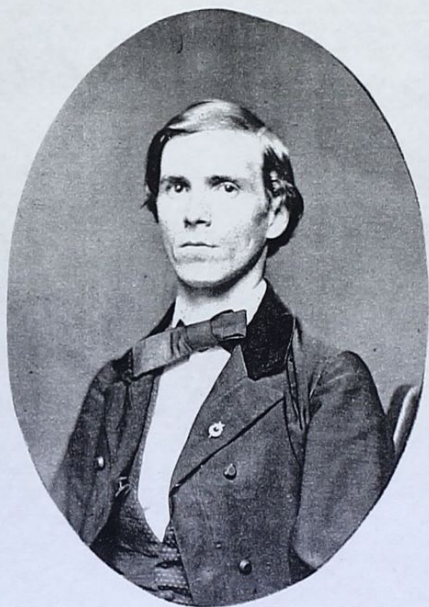
Prof Lebonnon Linn  
1850 - St. Cl -





Ever your friend & brother  
in A.Δ.Ψ. Clawson Bell  
Lebanon Law School. St. Louis.  
June 7th 1860 Mo.

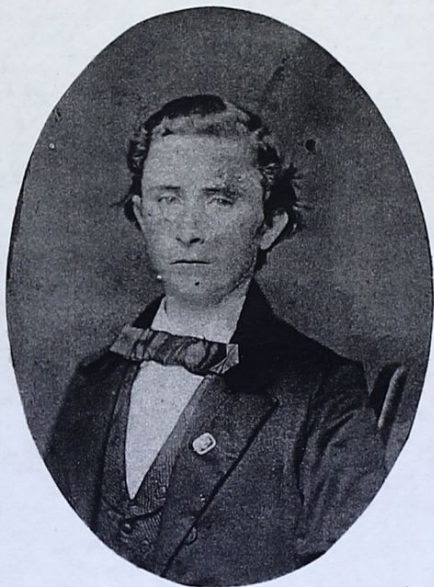




Truly your friend,  
J. H. McClain A Δ Φ.  
Lebanon,  
Penn.

June, 4, 1860.

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Your friend in the bonds of A. S. P.

Born June 13<sup>th</sup>

1842

Lib. Sec. C. U. Lib.  
Tenn

W. G. McKnight

Spring Hill

Tenn.

As almost every one takes an interest in this remarkable man, we reprint from the *Memphis Avalanche*, the following graphic pen and ink sketch of his personal appearance and manner:

Father Ryan is a man of about thirty years of age, five feet seven inches in height, is spare made, of fragile form and appearance; his shoulders are slightly stooped and indicate a habit of leaning over books. His movements are rather quiet, but indicate much firmness and decision. His easy manner exhibits a perfect confidence and strength of character. When he appears before his people, the most listless observer arouses to a sense that a most extraordinary man is before him.

His impressive appearance consists of a beautiful expression of countenance, that is not dependent on outline for its cause, but rather on the intellectual light that shines from his eyes and radiates over his countenance. His face is long and beardless; his hair is brown, and worn cast back from his high, broad forehead, and hangs in slight and graceful curls over his shoulders; his eyes are soft and blue, mild in repose, and glow beautifully when he is aroused or eloquent; his brows are high and regularly arched. The eyes often droop, and seem to fall with a violet light radiating from them. His mouth has a slight curvature at the corners, is small and of pleasing appearance; his lips are mobile, and carry on their well moulded surface a constantly varying smile, that has much of that compassion that beams kindly from his eyes and face. His angular cheek bones are scarcely noticeable in a front view.

His general appearance, as he stands in the chancel, is very feminine, yet giving the impression that he is an intellectual and poetical person of noble and good qualities. His manner, and particularly his distinct tenor tones, indicate an unusually powerful and impressive voice. His utterances often reach a high key, but they are musically modulated and very pleasing to the ear. His thrilling sentences flow rhythmically, like poetry, and are not only exquisitely pleasing, but convincing in every respect. Short torrents of eloquent words flow from him easily and without labor. No unkindly references ever grate on the ear of his varied listeners. Kindly and calmly he tells the beauties of the church; firmly he asks for faith from his hearers, and, without bigotry, he demands devotion and Christian practice from its members. His teachings carry conviction on their face, and wield an incalculable influence on his hearers.

#### Surrender of Fort Donelson.

The following is the Federal version of the particulars attending the surrender of Fort Donelson:

The New York *Herald* of the 18th publishes an important correspondence between the Federal General Grant, and Gen. Buckner, relative to the surrender of Fort Donelson. Early, it says, on Sunday last, a white flag was displayed from the Fort. A correspondence followed. Buckner said in consideration of all the circumstances governing the present situation of affairs, he proposed to the commanding officer of the Federal forces the appointment of a commissioner to agree to terms of capitulation, in view of which he suggested an armistice till 12 o'clock M. of that day. Grant replied that he would agree to no terms but unconditional surrender. He said, "I propose to move immediately on your works." Buckner replied that the forces under his command, incident to an unexpected change of commanders, and the overwhelming forces of the enemy, under Grant's command, compelled him, notwithstanding the brilliant success of the Confederate arms to accept the ungenerous, unchivalric terms proposed by Grant.

To the question put by an officer of the Federal army, as to number of prisoners—Buckner said—"You have all out of 25,000 who were not killed, or did not escape."

#### From St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, February 18.—It is impossible to state the precise extent of the capture at Fort Donelson. Gen. Johnston will concentrate every available force at Nashville, and make desperate attempts to retrieve the misfortunes at Fort Donelson.

A rebel surgeon has stated that between three and four hundred were killed and eight hundred wounded.

DIED—At the residence of E. B. Mason, in Columbus, Miss., on the 3d of May, 1852, THADDEUS OSMOND, son of Rev. Thomas and Mary E. Tabb, aged 2 years, 7 months, and 26 days.

He was a beautiful child; innocent, joyous, and intelligent. His gay, childish prattle threw a bright gleam of sunshine around the family circle. But now the circle is broken. A seat is vacant. The sweet babe—the tenderest lamb of the flock—is gone. He was too pure and too innocent to be left in this guilty world. Ere his heart was stained, and his hands polluted, he was snatched away, to bloom and flourish in a more genial clime.

Here sweetly sleep awhile, blest babe, thy sun  
In haste hath set, thy race of suffering done;  
A stranger to thy great Creator's name—

Unknown to thee thy glorious Savior's fame.  
Nor faith, nor hope, nor love, nor other grace,  
Within thy infant bosom held their place.

No power had'st thou to shed one contrite tear,  
One dutious act perform, or lip one prayer.  
But not in vain thy life! Thou hast not sown,  
Yet the rich harvest reap as thy own:  
Thou hast not fought, but thou hast won the  
prize—

Hast never borne the cross, yet gain'd the skies.  
E'en guilt was thine of Adam's guilty race;  
Yet such the Father's love—the Savior's grace,  
That Father's love hath turned thy night to day,  
That Savior's blood hath washed thy guilt away.  
Clothed in his robe of righteousness divine,  
Peace, freedom, life, and endless joys are thine.

N. GIVENS.

Sunday morning, February 26th, when the sunshine was making God's holy day so beautiful that it seemed to speak to Christian hearts, faintly foreshadowing the eternal Sabbath of the redeemed in the sunlight of God's presence, Mr. A. T. Moore died at his residence, after an illness of nine days.

Mr. Moore was born near Raleigh, N. C., July 18th, 1825. His parents moved to this county when he was quite young, so that in early manhood he was thoroughly identified with the interests of Perry, and in later years with those of Marion. In losing him, Marion has lost a loyal citizen. He was a man known intimately to but a few, but when a friend he was truest when adversity's clouds were darkest.

His friends were scarcely prepared for the news of his death, but we bow in humble submission, knowing that God doeth all things well.

Our heartfelt sympathies are with the bereaved wife and children, and we earnestly commend them to our loving Heavenly Father.

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**The Alabama Presbytery** met upon its adjournment, at Jamison, Chilton County, Ala. Dec. 5, 1885, at 11 A.M. By request of the retiring Moderator, Ruling Elder James P. Allen, the opening sermon was preached by the Rev. H. H. Smith, of Selma, Ala., from 1 Cor. ix. 13, 14. The opening prayer was offered by the Rev. R. J. C. Hail, D.D. Ruling Elder George L. Waller, of Selma, Ala., was elected Moderator. The usual committees were appointed, and the various enterprises of the Church received much attention. The Presbytery, since its last meeting, lost two of its most valuable and consecrated ministers. A most touching memorial service was held on Sunday afternoon, commemorative of their lives and labors. Addresses were delivered by the Revs. J. C. Armstrong, R. J. C. Hail, D.D., and H. H. Smith, and Ruling Elder James P. Allen. Following this service was the Presbyterial communion, which was a most precious one. The following preamble and resolutions were offered on Monday afternoon:

Whereas, God has, in his providence, since our last meeting, removed from their labors in the Church militant to their rest and reward in the Church triumphant, the Revs. Samuel M. Nelson and Thomas Tabb; therefore,

*Resolved*, 1. That this Presbytery bow submissively to the will of our heavenly Father in thus calling our aged and venerated fathers home to glory, knowing that "he doeth all things well," and that our loss is their eternal gain.

2. That this Presbytery has sustained a great loss in wise and able counselors, and efficient and godly ministers.

3. That the Cumberland Presbyterian Church has lost two of her most earnest, faithful, and loyal servants and supporters.

4. That we all thank God, from the depths of our hearts, for the lives and characters of such pure and holy men, and that their memories ever be most fondly cherished by us all.

5. That this Presbytery tender its sympathies to the bereaved and sorrowing wives of these honored servants of Christ, and pray earnestly for God's blessings upon them during their remaining days of loneliness and sorrow here.

The above was adopted by a rising vote, followed by singing, "O land of rest, for thee I sigh," and prayer by the Rev. D. Y. Wyatt. Nearly all the Churches within the Presbytery's bounds were supplied with preaching. The Rev. D. Y. Wyatt

tendered his resignation as Stated Clerk of Presbytery, and the Rev. J. C. Caldwell his resignation as Treasurer, both of which were received, and Ruling Elder George L. Waller was elected Stated Clerk and Treasurer. There was an unusually large attendance at this session, and the meeting was characterized throughout by earnestness, fraternity, and spirituality. Every preacher and elder seemed to have his heart and hands full of great ideas and plans for aggressive work for the Master. It was the most laborious, earnest, and spiritual session held for years. Adjourned to meet with the New Hope Congregation, Shelby County, Ala., Friday before the third Sunday in July, 1886, at 7 P.M.

GEORGE L. WALLER, S. C.

Yours truly,

June 16, 1860.

J. M. Linsden, A.D.

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Born Feb. 12th, 1836.

Illinois.

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